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Dear [REDACTED]

The U.S. State Department allowed me the use of a Map of the World, Miller Cylindrical Projection, Code 50714, I-65, printed in black and blue which they stated originated with your agency. We are planning to use this map in a forthcoming geography textbook which we are manufacturing for one of our customers. As this map appears to be in the public domain, we attempted to photograph it, but we could not separate shorelines from open water screening.

I realize you are not in the business of supplying maps, but I hoped you would be able to inform me as to where I might procure a black and white print of this map or a film negative or positive for which we would be happy to reimburse the supplier for any expense incurred. A more recent printing would also be desirable for updated boundaries.

Any information you might have on copyright protection, if any on this projection would also be helpful. We would appreciate an early reply.

Very truly yours,

Harold A. Spencer
Map Reproduction Manager

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